UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO WESTERN DIVISION

KATHRYN MARSHALL

CASE NO. C-1-02-189

VENA MARSHALL

Judge Herman Weber

Plaintiffs

Magistrate Judge Hogan

VS.

OHIO DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

NEW BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

LOWELL HOWARD

BERNARD TILLEY

JOINT MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF DISPOSITIVE MOTION FILING **DATE**

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Defendants

For the reasons set forth herein, the parties jointly move the Court to extend the dispositive motion cut-off date by fourteen (14) days, to March 14, 2006.

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MEMORANDUM

The current dispositive motion cut-off in this matter is February 28, 2006. Counsel for the parties had previous scheduled the depositions of plaintiffs Kathryn and Vena Marshall for February 21 and February 22, 2006. However, due to circumstances beyond the control of plaintiffs' counsel, it became necessary to reschedule these depositions for February 23 and February 24, 2006. Although this change is only a few days, it renders it impossible for defense counsel to obtain the transcripts in order to file a motion for summary judgment on February 28, 2006.

Accordingly, the parties jointly move the Court for an extension of fourteen (14) days, to March 14, 2006, for defendants to file their motion for summary judgment. There is no pretrial or trial setting in this matter, and the extension will not interfere with the orderly progress of this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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